

TennCare

2020 Individual Employment Data

TennCare wants to learn about people receiving long term services and supports who are employed or interested in becoming employed. This information will help us support people better so that they can reach their goals.

Instructions

The Individual Employment Data assessment process will begin on January 1, 2020 and end by December 31, 2020. As the ISC/Case Manager/Care Coordinator/Support Coordinator, you are responsible for conducting and submitting the assessment on each individual in your caseload who receives long term services and supports through a DIDD waiver, CHOICES, or ECF CHOICES. Individuals age 62 or older who respond that they are not currently working and do not have an interest in working are not required to complete the full survey. (See instructions below). Once an individual age 62 or older has indicated they are not working and do not have an interest in working, you are no longer required to administer this survey going forward.

The assessment can be conducted as part of the individual's annual review, quarterly or monthly visit, or as a separate face-to-face assessment as long as it is conducted before December 31, 2020. The assessment must include the individual and also may include a family member or representative, as appropriate. The individual's input should be used first, and input from others involved may be used when the person is not able to respond to one or more of the questions independently. Service provider staff may participate as requested by the individual and his/her family member/representative.

<u>Conducting the assessment with this Word document</u>: If you choose to conduct the assessment using this Word document to record the individual's responses, you still need to enter the answers into FormStack.

<u>Entering the assessment into FormStack</u>: A link will be provided to enter survey responses for each individual in FormStack. If you have any questions, please email: <u>LTSSHCBS.SettingsQuestions@tn.gov</u>

Section A – General Information	
1.Member's name	
First name, Last name	
2. Member's social security number	
Numbers only. No letters or dashes.	
3. Member date of birth:	
Month/Date/Year (MM/DD/YYYY)	
4. Do you (the member) have a conservator?	□ Yes

A conservator is a person appointed by the probate court to oversee the personal and/or financial affairs of an adult who is determined to be incapable of managing his or her own affairs or unable to care for himself or herself.	□ No
If no, skip to question 5. If yes, answer 4a – 4b.	
4a. If yes, is the conservator a paid/corporate conservator (i.e. the conservator works for an agency), or an unpaid family/friend?	□ Paid Conservator□ Unpaid Conservator
4b. If unpaid conservator, enter the name of the conservator:	
4.b If paid conservator, select the name of the agency providing conservatorship:	☐ Comcare☐ Michael Dunn☐ Other:
5. Please indicate the LTSS program in which you (the member) are enrolled: <i>Choose one</i>	Select one: CHOICES Group 1 CHOICES Group 2 CHOICES Group 3 ECF CHOICES Group 4 ECF CHOICES Group 5 ECF CHOICES Group 6 ECF CHOICES Group 7 ECF CHOICES Group 8 Comprehensive Aggregate Cap Waiver (CAC) Statewide Waiver Self-Determination Waiver
6. Date survey completed: Day/Month/Year	
7. Reason for completing this survey	☐ Annual☐ Change in Integrated Employment Status
8. Name of person conducting survey <i>First name, Last name</i>	
8a. Title of person conducting survey	Select one: ISC (DIDD Waiver) Case Manager (DIDD Waiver) Care Coordinator (CHOICES) Support Coordinator (ECF CHOICES)
8b. Name of organization person conducting survey represents	Select one: Amerigroup BlueCare United ISC Agency DIDD

8c. If an ISC agency, what is the name of the	
agency?	
9. Number of months the person conducting survey	
has been assigned to serve member:	C.1 4
10. Region you (the member) reside in	Select one: East Middle West
11. Is someone assisting you (the member) in responding to the survey? If no, skip to question 13. If yes, answer 12a – 12b.	□ Yes □ No
11a. If yes, what is the name of the person assisting? <i>First name, Last name</i>	
11b. What is your (the member's) relationship to the person assisting?	Select one: Child Spouse/Partner Other Family Friend Direct Service Professional Conservator (unpaid/natural support) Conservator (paid/service provider) Other
For Individuals 62 + Only:	
Individuals age 62 or older who respond that they are not currently working and do not have an interest in working are not required to complete the full survey. (See instructions below). Once an individual age 62 or older has indicated they are not working and do not have an interest in working, you are no longer required to administer this survey going forward.	
☐ Are you age 62 or older? If no, skip to questions 13 and 14.	□ Yes □ No
If yes, answer the following question:	
☐ Do you currently have a job in the community?	□ Yes □ No
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settings where the majority of persons employed are not persons with disabilities, all employees earn at least minimum wage and all employees are paid directly by the employer." If yes, skip to questions 13 and 14 and complete Section B. Are you interested in having a job in the community? If yes, skip to questions 13 and 14 and complete Section C. If NO to BOTH, please end the survey. Individuals 62 and older who are not currently working and are not interested in working will not be asked to complete the Employment Data Survey going forward.	□ Yes □ No
13. Do you currently receive any employment related services?	
If no, skip to question 14. If yes, answer 13a – 13e.	□ Yes □ No
13a. What employment services are you currently receiving?	DIDD WAIVER □ Supported Employment □ Variable Job Coaching □ Pre-Employment Services □ Exploration □ Discovery □ Job Development □ Intermittent Employment and Community Participation Wraparound □ Facility-Based Day Supports ECF CHOICES □ Exploration □ Discovery □ Situational Observation and Assessment □ Job Development Planning □ Self-Employment Planning □ Job Development Start-Up □ Self-Employment Start-Up

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	 □ Job Coaching for Individual Integrated Employment □ Job Coaching for Self-Employment □ Co-Worker Supports □ Career Advancement □ Benefits Counseling □ Supported Employment – Small Group
	☐ Integrated Employment Path Services
	☐ Non-Medicaid Reimbursed Services
13b. If you (the member) receives DIDD Waiver or ECF CHOICES employment services, please select the name of your DIDD Waiver or ECF CHOICES service provider:	
If the Provider name does not appear on the list in FormStack, please reach out to the surveyor's designated organization contact.	
13c. Provider Medicaid ID #:	
Do you (the member) have more than one employment services provider? If yes, answer 13d – 13e.	□ Yes □ No
If no, skip to question 14.	
13d. Please select the name of the second DIDD Waiver or ECF CHOICES employment service provider (if applicable)	
If the provider name does not appear on the list in FormStack, please reach out to the surveyor's designated organization contact.	
13e. Second provider's Medicaid ID #	
14. Are you (the member) currently receiving any employment services through Vocational Rehabilitation?	□ Yes □ No
14a. If no, have you (the member) ever received Employment Services through Vocational Rehabilitation?	☐ Yes☐ No☐ I don't know
15. Do you currently have an employment goal in your PCSP/ISP?	□ Yes

A Job in the Community

Please utilize the following definition when answering questions regarding a job in the community:

"A Job in the Community" refers to jobs held by people with disabilities in typical workplace settings where the majority of persons employed are not persons with disabilities, all employees earn at least minimum wage and all employees are paid directly by the employer.

Section B – Questions about Employment	
1. Do you (the member) earn minimum wage or higher? Current minimum wage is \$7.25 per/hour. 1a. What is your (the member's) current hourly wage?	□ Yes □ No
Type \$0.00 per hour 2. Is your (the member's) job integrated in the community? Do you work alongside people without disabilities? Do not answer Yes if you work in a facility-based workshop or in a small group of people who are only people with disabilities and paid staff.	□ Yes □ No
3. What type of work do you (the member) do?	 □ Arts □ Automotive □ Office □ Food services □ Retail □ Hospitality □ Agriculture □ Manufacturing □ Healthcare □ Education □ Other:
4. What is the name of your (the member's) employer? Please indicate the name, such as "St. Thomas Hospital" or "Walgreens".	
5. On average, how many hours per week do you (the member) work?	
6. Do you (the member) want to work more hours?	□ Yes □ No
6a. If no, why not?	
7. Do you (the member) want to earn more money?	□ Yes □ No
7a. If no, why not?	

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8. Have you (the member) received benefits	□ Yes
counseling to understand your wages?	\square No
9. What supports help you (the member) be successful on your job?	Check all that apply: ☐ I do not need supports to maintain my job ☐ Assistive technology ☐ Job coaching (a paid staff person supports you to keep the job) ☐ Co-worker supports (a co-worker supports you to keep the job) ☐ Transportation ☐ Personal Care/Personal Assistance ☐ Other:
10. Please tell us how you (the member) get to and from your job:	Check all that apply: ☐ I drive myself ☐ I take public transportation ☐ My transportation is provided by a service provider agency ☐ My transportation is provided by a natural support (friend, neighbor, family member, coworker) ☐ I use Consumer-Directed transportation and get a monthly payment to buy my transportation ☐ Other:
11. Is there anything related to employment you (the member) want to share?	

Please STOP here if the individual is currently in integrated, competitive employment.

Section C – Questions for members who do NOT have a job.	
1. Do you (the member) want a job in the community? "A Job in the Community" refers to jobs held by people with disabilities in typical workplace settings where the majority of persons employed are not persons with disabilities, all employees earn at least minimum wage and all employees are paid directly by the employer. Note: A job in a facility-based day program is not considered a job in the community. A job in a small group of people with disabilities (work crew or enclave) that does not pay at least minimum wage and/or does not involve co-workers without disabilities (excluding paid staff) is also not considered a job in the community. If yes, answer question 1a. If no, answer question 2.	☐ Yes☐ No
1a. If <u>yes</u> , what are the barriers to employment that you (the member) have experienced?	Check all that apply: I am concerned about losing my benefits I am nervous about the unknown I am not sure what I would want to do My family is concerned about me working I need transportation I do not want to leave my friends I do not want to change my current routine Medical related reasons Behavioral related reasons Job market related issues I do not have the support that I need. Other:
1a2. If you (the member) checked "I do not have the support I need", please describe the support you (the member) need.	
1b. Are supports/services helping you (the member) to overcome barriers to employment?	□ Yes □ No
1b1.If yes, what services/supports are helping you to overcome barriers to employment?	
1b2. If no, what would be helpful in overcoming those barriers?	

2. If you (the member) do NOT want a paying job in the community, what is the reason? Only ask this question if the person answered NO to question 1.	Check all that apply: My family is nervous about me working I prefer to volunteer I am retired I am concerned about losing my benefits I am nervous about the unknown I am not sure what I would want to do I need transportation I do not want to leave my friends I do not want tochange my current routine Health issues (such as chronic illness, medical fragility) I do not have the support I need to work
support I need to work" in question 2, please describe what kind of support you need:	
2b. What kinds of activities are you (the member) involved in your community during typical work hours?	Check all that apply: Not involved in other activities Creative outlets (such as art, music, drama) Advocacy Career exploration Outdoor activities Other type of day program Social groups (such as neighborhood association, book club, etc.) Health related activities (such as sports or fitness) Volunteering Other:
3. Would you (the member) be interested in volunteering in the community?	
If no or already involved in volunteering, skip to question 4. If yes, answer 3a.	 ☐ Yes ☐ Already involved in volunteering ☐ No
3a. If yes, what would you (the member) enjoy doing as a volunteer activity?	Check all that apply:

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	Collecting donationsUsing technologyOther:
4. Is there anything else you want to tell us about your (the member's) interest in volunteering?	